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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Although Japanese reference JP3-003030 has already been brought to the Examiner's attention, Applicant now submits a partial English translation of JP3-003030. Consideration of the partial English translation of JP3-003030 is requested.

Respectfully submitted
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